

PRODUCT: 15 dozen bottles of *Estrotron* at Dallas, Tex., together with accompanying leaflets entitled "Estrotron." A sample of this product was found to contain not more than 1.52 milligrams of estrogenic ketosteroids per cubic centimeter.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (c), the strength of the article differed from that which it was represented to possess, namely, 2 milligrams of estrogenic ketosteroids per cubic centimeter.

Misbranding, Section 502 (a), the following statements in the labeling of the article were false and misleading as applied to an article which contained less than the declared amount of estrogenic ketosteroids per cubic centimeter: (Bottle label) "* * * Estrotron, 2 mg. (20,000 I. U.) per cc * * * consisting primarily of estrone with smaller amounts of naturally occurring estrogens * * * standardized to 20,000 I. U. of activity per cc. * * *" and (leaflet) "* * * containing 2 mg. of estrogenic substance per cc. equal in estrogenic activity to 20,000 I. U. per cc."

DISPOSITION: September 5, 1951. The Pitman-Moore Co., Div. of Allied Laboratories, Inc., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond to be brought into compliance with the law, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

3612. Adulteration and misbranding of conjugated estrogens. U. S. v. 18 Bottles * * *. (F. D. C. No. 31308. Sample No. 10358-L.)

LIBEL FILED: July 2, 1951, Eastern District of Michigan.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 30, 1951, by the Keith-Victor Pharmacal Co., from St. Louis, Mo.

PRODUCT: 18 bottles of *conjugated estrogens* at Detroit, Mich. Analysis showed that the product contained a total amount of estrogenic steroids calculated to 0.83 mg. of sodium estrone sulfate per tablet.

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: The tablets were shipped from St. Louis, Mo., in a drum and repacked into bottles by the consignee at Detroit, Mich.

LABEL, IN PART: (Bottle) "100 Code No. 190 Sodestrin Tablets"; (drum) "Estrogen 1.25 Mg. Tablets."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (c), the strength of the article differed from that which it was represented to possess.

Misbranding, Section 502 (a), the label statement "Each * * * Tablet contains: Naturally-occurring water soluble Conjugated Estrogens equivalent in biological activity to 1.25 mg. of Sodium Estrone Sulfate" was false and misleading as applied to a product whose equivalent in biological activity was less than that declared.

DISPOSITION: August 30, 1951. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

3613. Adulteration and misbranding of uterine capsules. U. S. v. 15 Boxes * * *. (F. D. C. No. 31604. Sample No. 21724-L.)

LIBEL FILED: August 6, 1951, Eastern District of Louisiana.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 14 and April 4, 1951, by the Globe Laboratories, from Fort Worth, Tex.

PRODUCT: 15 boxes each containing 1 dozen *uterine capsules* at New Orleans, La. Examination of the product showed that it contained no sodium perborate.